



# Solo Leveling

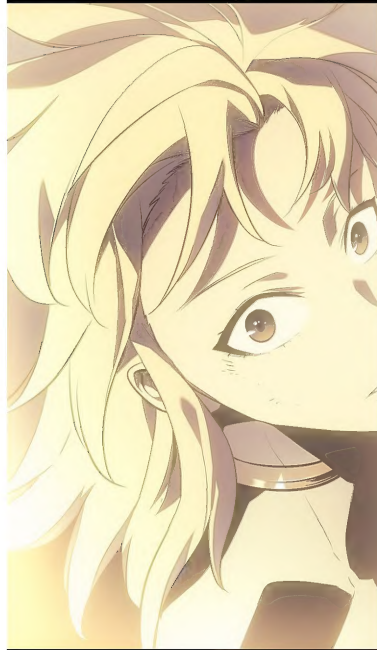
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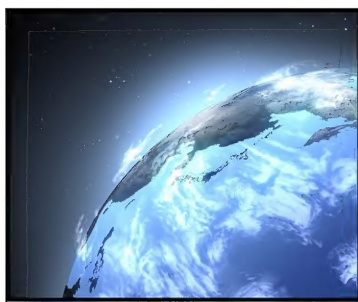
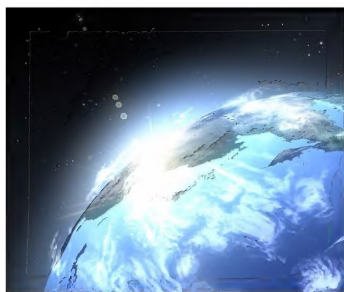














JINAH, WOULD  
YOU GO WAKE  
YOUR BROTHER?



*SURE!*

**BURST**

JINWOO!





HUH? YOU'RE  
ALREADY UP.





JINAH'S JUST  
GOTTEN OUT  
OF THE BATH.

I CAN SMELL THE  
STEW ON THE BURNER,  
AND HEAR THE SOUND  
OF MOM'S KNIFE ON THE  
CUTTING BOARD.



WHAT'S MORE,  
MY OWN SCENT HAS  
SETTLED THROUGHOUT  
MY ROOM...



WHAT'S  
WRONG, JINWOOP?  
WHY ARE YOU  
CRYING?



THAT'S RIGHT.  
THE NIGHTMARE  
IS OVER.

MY LITTLE

SISTER IS HERE,  
AND MY MOTHER'S  
IN GOOD HEALTH.

EVEN  
MY FATHER IS  
HERE WITH US.



THIS IS MY LAST  
CHANCE TO MAKE  
EVERYTHING RIGHT...

...AND I WON'T LET  
IT SLIP THROUGH  
MY FINGERS.



THIS TIME,  
I'LL CHANGE THE  
FUTURE WITH MY  
OWN HANDS.

BUT...

MAYBE...



...I CAN LET MYSELF  
ENJOY THIS PEACEFUL  
TIME FOR A BIT...



...AS A REWARD  
FOR MYSELF.



I'M AWARE...

...THAT EVEN NOW,  
THE MONARCHS ARE  
PREPARING A GIANT  
GATE FROM ACROSS  
THE SKY...

...IN ORDER TO  
TAKE OVER THE  
EARTH. BUT...



...IF I CAN  
JUST...

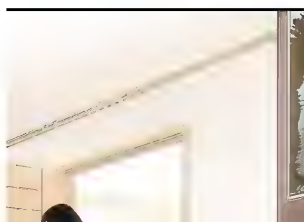
...ENJOY MYSELF  
A LITTLE LONGER...

...WITHOUT IT  
HARMING ANYONE...

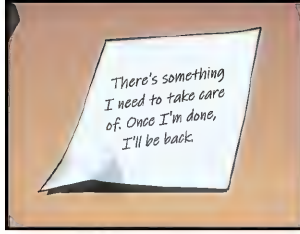


I WANT TO  
REMAIN IN THIS  
PEACEFUL TIME...

...JUST  
A LITTLE  
LONGER...











THE DAYS IN THIS  
WORLD OF ENDLESS  
DARKNESS...

...ARE PAINFULLY DULL,  
UNLESS A BATTLE IS  
TAKING PLACE.





DURING MY TIME  
HERE, I FOUGHT  
AND WON AGAINST  
THE MONARCHS.



AFTER SOME STRUGGLE,  
I EVEN DEFEATED  
THE MONARCH OF  
TRANSFIGURATION.

27 YEARS HAVE  
GONE BY...







...SINCE I CAME TO  
THE DIMENSIONAL RIFT.



AT LONG LAST,  
I'M STARTING TO NEAR  
THE END OF THIS LONG  
AND TEDIOUS BATTLE.



NOW I JUST  
HAVE TO TAKE OUT  
THE DRAGON KING  
AND HIS ARMY OF  
DESTRUCTION.

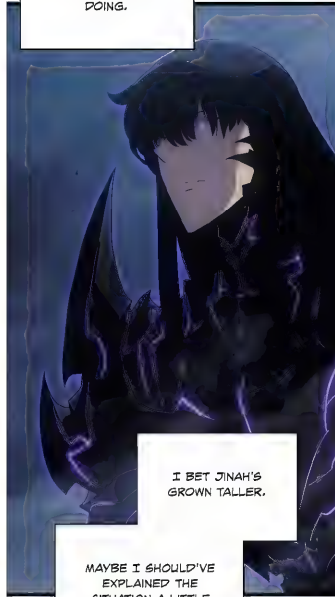
GOOD THING TIME  
FLOWS AT A SLOWER  
PACE ON EARTH.



ABOUT TWO  
YEARS MUST'VE  
GONE BY SINCE  
I LEFT.

I'LL BE  
REUNITING WITH MY  
FAMILY AFTER TWO  
YEARS...

I WONDER HOW  
MY PARENTS ARE  
DOING.



I BET JINAH'S  
GROWN TALLER.

MAYBE I SHOULD'VE  
EXPLAINED THE  
SITUATION A LITTLE  
MORE BEFORE I LEFT.

MY LIEGE,  
OUR JOB HERE IS  
DONE. ALL OF OUR  
ENEMIES ARE DEAD.



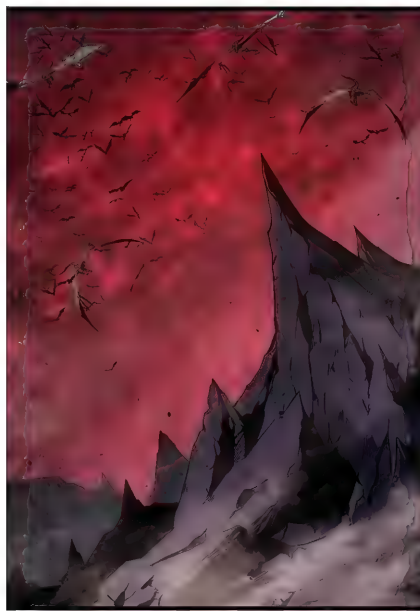
GOOP.

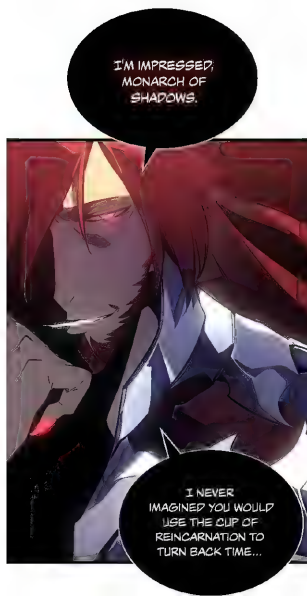
WE WON'T LOSE  
A SECOND TIME.



ARISE.







I THOUGHT  
WE WOULD MEET  
AGAIN IN OUR ETERNAL  
SLUMBER. YET HERE  
WE ARE, BOTH STILL  
ALIVE.

BUT NOW, ONE OF  
US WILL HAVE TO GO TO  
SLEEP FOR GOOD.

SWOOSH

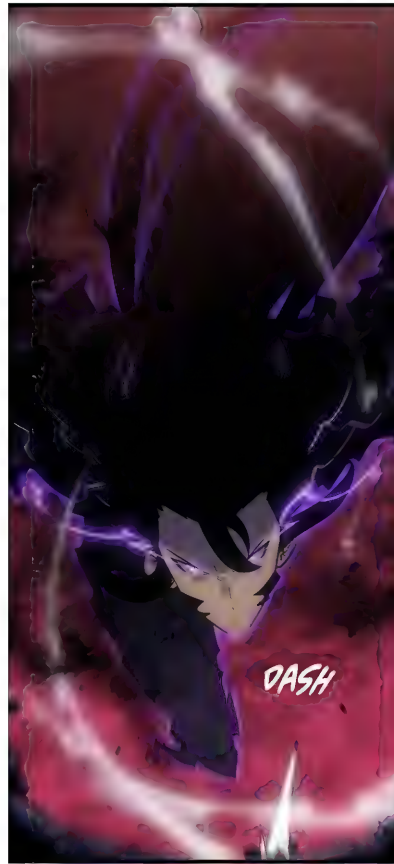
MY NAME IS  
ANTARES.

WHAT IS  
YOUR NAME?

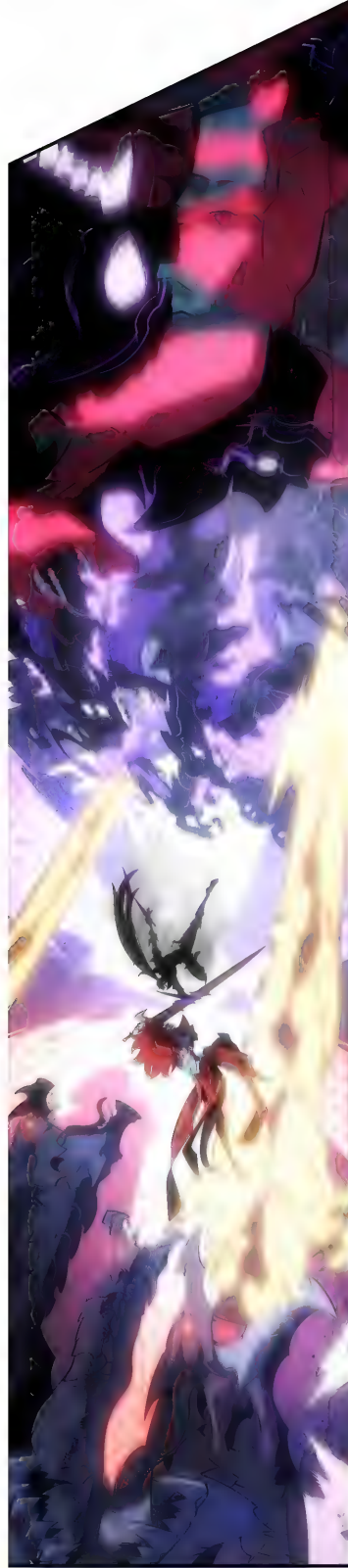
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MONARCH?











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